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Applicants: Fenical et al. Art Unit: 1651
Application No.: 09/991,518 Examiner: I. Marx
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Title: MARINE ACTINOMYCETE TAXON FOR DRUG AND FERMENTATION
PRODUCT DISCOVERY

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Sir:

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1. Amendment (11 pages);
2. Declaration of Applicant Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 (2 pages);
3. Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(f) and (g); 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.825(a) and (b) (2 pages);
4. Verified Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f) (1 page);
5. Sequence Listing (Computer-readable copy) (8 pages);
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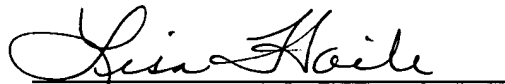
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Respectfully submitted,

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